June 13, 1984

Mr. Arnold Henson
Senior Vice President &
General Counsel
American Brands, Inc.
245 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10167

Dear Mr. Henson:

The Council's General Fund cash balance at the end of June will require replenishment to meet anticipated requirements. It is therefore necessary to request payment of the first installment of dues for 1984.

In accordance with the resolution of the Board of Directors of The Council, approved on December 9, 1983, will you please apply as a basis of payment 1.59 cents per 10,000 tax-paid digarettes estimated to have been produced by you in 1983, and remit a check for that amount as payment of your first installment of dues for the year 1984.

The check should be made out to THE COUNCIL FOR TORACCO RESEARCH-U.S.A., INC. and sent to the above address.

Cordially,

R. F. Gertenbach

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cc: Mr. V. B. Lougee III Janet C. Brown, Esq.

(Above also individually addressed to: Peterson (Judge, Stevens); Cullman (Ahrensfeld&Holtzman); Witt (Di Marco); Bantle (Manning & Chapin). Special letter sent to Hughes (Pepples).